

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of)	MAIL STOP RCE
Stina Roth et al.)	
Application No.: 10/535,442)	Group Art Unit: 1634
Filing Date: May 19, 2005)	Examiner: Steven C. Pohnert
Title: NUCLEIC ACID PROBES AND)	Confirmation No.: 8832
BROAD-RANGE PRIMERS FROM)	
REGIONS IN TOPOISOMERASE)	
GENES, AND METHODS IN WHICH)	
THEY ARE USED)	

**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)
TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

MAIL STOP RCE

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Sir:

Applicant(s) requests continued examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application and encloses the ☒ \$405 ☐ \$810 fee due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e).

1. ☐ A. Applicant(s) requests that any previously unentered after final amendments not be entered. Continued examination is requested based on the enclosed documents identified in item 2 below.

☒ B. Applicant(s) previously submitted the following documents for which continued examination is requested:

☒ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on April 30, 2009.
2. The following documents are enclosed with this submission:

☒ Supplemental Reply
☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
☐ Information Disclosure Statement
☒ Petition for Extension of Time & Requisite Fee
☒ Other: Supplemental Application Data Sheet and Request for Refund
3. ☐ Small entity status is hereby claimed.

- ☒ No additional claim fee is required.
- ☐ The fee is calculated below on the basis of the highest number of claims already paid for in this application prior to this submission:

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Examination Fee (1801)					\$ 810
	No. of Claims		Extra Claims	Rate	
Total Claims	21	21	0	x 52 (1202)	\$ 0
Independent Claims	4	4	0	x 220 (1201)	\$ 0
If multiple dependent claims are presented, add \$ 390					\$ 0
Total Fee					\$ 810
<input type="checkbox"/> Small Entity Status claimed - subtract 50% of Total Application Fee					\$ 0
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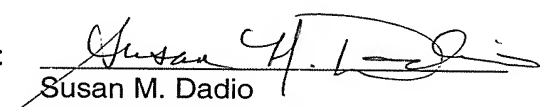
4. ☐ Charge _____ to Deposit Account No. **02-4800** for the fee due.
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6. ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4800.

Respectfully submitted,

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